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1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*
3 *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the fol-*

1 following article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-
2 stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all
3 intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when
4 ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several
5 States within seven years after the date of its submission
6 for ratification:

7 “ARTICLE —

8 “The Congress shall have power to prohibit the phys-
9 ical desecration of the flag of the United States.”.

 Passed the House of Representatives June 12, 1997.

Attest:

Clerk.